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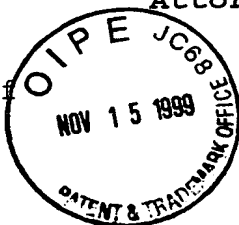
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**PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF
TIME UNDER 37 C.F.R. § 1.136**

Assistant Commissioner for Patents
Washington, D.C. 20231

Sir:

It is respectfully requested that an extension of time for the period indicated below be granted in accordance with the provisions of 37 C.F.R. § 1.136 to take the action required in the application identified in caption, as reflected by the papers submitted herewith.

—	First Month	\$110	(\$ 55) *
—	Second Month	\$270	(\$135) *
X	Third Month	\$490	(\$245) *
—	Fourth Month	\$490	(\$245) *
* (Small Entity) TOTAL FEE:		<u>\$490.00</u>	

A check in the amount of the above Total Fee is attached. This amount is believed to be correct; however, the Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any deficiency or credit any overpayment to Deposit Account No. 19-0741. If one or more (additional) extension(s) of time is/are required for the filing of this paper, such extension(s) is/are hereby expressly petitioned for and the Commissioner is authorized to charge the required fee to Deposit Account No. 19-0741.

Respectfully submitted,

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